

Application of South Carolina Electric & Gas Company
for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and
Public Convenience and Necessity for the Construction
and Operation of a 230 kV Transmission Line from its
V.C. Summer Switchyard #1 to its Killian Transmission
Substation and two 230 kV Transmission Lines from its
V.C. Summer Switchyard #2 to its Lake Murray
Transmission Substation.

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RE: South Carolina Electric & Gas Company
Application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public
Convenience and Necessity

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of South Carolina Electric & Gas Company ("SCE&G" or "Company") is the Company's Application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Convenience and Necessity for the Construction and Operation of a 230 kV Transmission Line from its V.C. Summer Switchyard #1 to its Killian Transmission Substation and two 230 kV Transmission Lines from its V.C. Summer Switchyard #2 to its Lake Murray Transmission Substation ("Application"). This Application is filed pursuant to the provisions of S.C. Code Ann. § 58-33-10 et seq. (1976 & Cum. Supp. 2010) and 26 S.C. Code Ann. Reg. 103-304 (1976, as amended).

By copy of this letter, we are also serving the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff and others as required by statute with a copy of the enclosed Application and attach a certificate of service to that effect. In compliance with S.C. Code Ann. § 58-33-120(2), this letter shall also serve as notice that the Application was filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina on August 9, 2011.

If you have any questions, please advise.

Very truly yours,

Matthew W. Gissendanner

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_____)		

South Carolina Electric & Gas Company ("SCE&G" or "Company") hereby applies to the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Convenience and Necessity to construct and operate a 230 kilovolt ("kV") Transmission Line ("VCS1-Killian 230 kV Line") from its V.C. Summer Nuclear Station ("V.C. Summer" or "VCSNS") Switchyard #1 to its Killian Transmission Substation, located in Richland County, and two 230 kV Transmission Lines ("VCS2-Lake Murray 230 kV Line #2" and "Segment of VCS2-St. George 230 kV Line #1") from its V.C. Summer Switchyard #2 to its Lake Murray Transmission Substation, located in Lexington County. This Application is filed pursuant to the provisions of S.C. Code Ann. § 58-33-10 et seq. (1976 & Cum. Supp. 2009) and 26 S.C. Code Ann. Reg. 103-304 (1976, as amended).

In support of this Application, SCE&G would respectfully show unto this Commission:

1. Applicant. SCE&G is a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of South Carolina, with its principal offices at 100 SCANA Parkway, Cayce, South Carolina 29033. The Company is engaged in the business of generating, transmitting, delivering and providing electricity to public and private energy users for compensation.

2. Project Description.

A. NAME OF LINE: VCS1-Killian 230 kV Line

EXTENDING FROM: VCSNS Switchyard #1

TO: Killian Transmission Substation, approximately six (6) miles south of Blythewood, South Carolina

ESTIMATED LENGTH: 37 MILES

WIDTH OF RIGHT-OF-WAY: 26 to 180 FEET (Existing); 65 TO 120 FEET (New)

DESIGN VOLTAGE: 230 kV

NORMAL CAPACITY: 950 MVA (Continuous Rating)

CONDUCTOR: Bundled 1272 45/7 ACSR

CONFIGURATION: Braced Post Back-to-Back or Braced Post Stacked Vertical

TYPES OF STRUCTURES: Single Pole (Double Circuit)

ESTIMATED NOMINAL HEIGHT: 95 to 125 FEET

AREAS IN WHICH FACILITIES ARE TO BE LOCATED IN SOUTH CAROLINA:

COUNTIES: Fairfield
Richland

MUNICIPALITIES: Blythewood
Winnsboro

NAMES OF NATIONAL OR STATE PARKS OR FORESTS DIRECTLY AFFECTED OR THE NEAREST FACILITY: None

MAJOR WATERWAYS: Little River

MAJOR HIGHWAYS: Interstate Highway 77
U.S. Highway 21
U.S. Highway 321 Bypass
U.S. Highway 321 Business
S.C. Highway 34
S.C. Highway 213
S.C. Highway 215
S.C. Highway 555

B. NAME OF LINES: VCS2-Lake Murray 230 kV Line #2 and Segment of VCS2-St. George 230 kV Line #1

EXTENDING FROM: VCSNS Switchyard #2

TO: Lake Murray Transmission Substation located near SCE&G's McMeekin and Saluda Hydro Stations, approximately three (3) miles southwest of Irmo, South Carolina

ESTIMATED LENGTH: 22 MILES

WIDTH OF RIGHT-OF-WAY: 125 to 136 FEET (Existing)

DESIGN VOLTAGE: 230 kV

NORMAL CAPACITY: 950 MVA (Continuous Rating)

CONDUCTOR: Bundled 1272 45/7 ACSR

CONFIGURATION: Braced Post Back to Back Vertical

TYPES OF STRUCTURES: Single Pole (Double Circuit Configuration)

ESTIMATED NOMINAL HEIGHT: 85 to 120 FEET

AREAS IN WHICH FACILITIES ARE TO BE LOCATED IN SOUTH CAROLINA:

COUNTIES: Fairfield
Lexington
Newberry
Richland

MUNICIPALITIES: Chapin

Irmo

NAMES OF NATIONAL OR STATE PARKS OR FORESTS DIRECTLY
AFFECTED OR THE NEAREST FACILITY: None

MAJOR WATERWAYS: Broad River

MAJOR HIGHWAYS: Interstate Highway 26
U.S. Highway 76
U.S. Highway 176
S.C. Highway 60
S.C. Highway 213

- 3. Need and Necessity.** To maintain an adequate supply of reliable, electrical energy to serve the projected future demand throughout central and southern South Carolina, SCE&G and the South Carolina Public Service Authority ("Santee Cooper") submitted an application on March 31, 2008, to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission ("NRC") for a combined construction and operating license ("COL") for two new nuclear generating units. The COL, once approved, will authorize SCE&G and Santee Cooper to build and operate up to two additional nuclear generating units at the utilities' existing V.C. Summer Nuclear Station site in Jenkinsville, South Carolina. Each unit will have a net electrical output of 1,117 megawatts. Additionally, on May 30, 2008, SCE&G filed with the Commission a Combined Application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Convenience and Necessity and for a Base Load Review Order for the construction and operation of the new nuclear units. On March 2, 2009, the Commission issued Order No. 2009-104(A) granting SCE&G, among other things, a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Convenience and Necessity for the new nuclear units.

For the purposes of this Application, the two new nuclear generating units will be referred to herein as VCSNS Units 2 and 3; the existing nuclear generating unit at the V.C.

Summer Nuclear Station will be referred to as VCSNS Unit 1. The existing electrical switchyard will be referred to as VCSNS Switchyard #1; the new switchyard under construction will be referred to as VCSNS Switchyard #2.

SCE&G has determined that four (4) new 230 kV circuits originating at the V.C. Summer Nuclear Station will be required to connect the generated capacity of VCSNS Units 2 and 3 to its electric transmission grid. These lines include the VCS1-Killian 230 kV Line and the VCS2-Lake Murray 230 kV Line #2, which will need to be in service prior to VCSNS Unit 2 coming online, and the VCS2-St. George 230 kV Lines #1 and #2, which will need to be in service prior to VCSNS Unit 3 coming online.

SCE&G plans to seek siting approval for these lines in two separate Applications. As noted above, in this Application, SCE&G seeks a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Convenience and Necessity for the VCS1-Killian 230 kV Line, the VCS2-Lake Murray 230 kV Line #2, and the Segment of VCS2-St. George 230 kV Line #1, which will run from VCSNS Switchyard #2 to the Lake Murray Transmission Substation. The second application to be filed at a later date will seek a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Convenience and Necessity for the remaining portion of the VCS2-St. George 230 kV Line #1 and for the entire VCS2-St. George 230 kV Line #2.

The Segment of the VCS2-St. George 230 kV Line #1, for which a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Convenience and Necessity is sought in this Application, will run alongside and on the same structure as the VCS2-Lake Murray 230 kV Line #2. Construction of these lines at the same time will eliminate the costs associated with having to run the Segment of the VCS2-St. George 230 kV Line #1 at a later date after the structures have been erected. Additionally, once constructed, the Segment of the VCS2-St.

George 230 kV Line #1 will serve as a substitute for the existing VCS-Lake Murray 230 kV Line, which SCE&G will be required to remove and rebuild to accommodate the construction of the proposed VCS2-St. George 230 kV Line #2.

4. Possible Alternate Route for Blythewood-Killian Segment of VCS1-Killian 230 kV Line.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit A is the “Siting and Environmental Report for the VCS1-Killian 230 kV Line” dated July 2011 and prepared by the Facilities Planning and Siting Division of Pike Energy Solutions, LLC. As discussed more fully in that Report, SCE&G has determined that all four (4) of the new 230 kV circuits will be built on existing rights-of-way, except for a 6.0-mile segment of the VCS1-Killian 230 kV Line from the Company’s future Blythewood Transmission Substation to its Killian Transmission Substation (“Blythewood-Killian Segment”).

SCE&G conducted a comprehensive siting study for the Blythewood-Killian Segment by applying its formal Transmission Line Siting Process. At present, the selected route has been surveyed and right-of-way acquisition is underway. SCE&G has also developed a contingency plan for the unlikely event that it is unable to acquire the right-of-way on a schedule that will allow the VCS1-Killian 230 kV Line to be energized to support the VCSNS Unit 2 construction schedule.

The contingency plan entails building the Blythewood-Killian Segment on existing right-of-way between the site of the future Blythewood Transmission Substation and the existing Killian Transmission Substation, which is currently occupied by the single circuit Killian-Blythewood 115 kV line. This contingency plan will require the removal and rebuild of the existing 115 kV line to accommodate the Blythewood-Killian Segment. Also, according to SCE&G’s transmission system plans, a second 115 kV circuit will be needed

between the future Blythewood Substation and the Killian Substation. As such, even if circumstances dictate that SCE&G proceed to build the Blythewood-Killian Segment along the alternate route on existing right of way, the new right of way obtained in anticipation of building the Blythewood-Killian Segment along the route selected via the siting study will still be needed for the construction of the future 115 kV circuit.

SCE&G respectfully requests that the Commission grant a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Convenience and Necessity for both the selected route along new right of way and the alternate route along existing right of way.

5. **Environmental and Cultural Resources Assessment.** Attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit A is the “Transmission Line Siting and Environmental Report for the VCS1-Killian 230 kV Line” dated July 2011 and prepared by the Facilities Planning and Siting Division of Pike Energy Solutions, LLC. The Transmission Line Siting and Environmental Report for the VCS1-Killian 230 kV Line concludes that the proposed transmission line (along either the selected and alternate route for the Blythewood-Killian Segment) will have no significant adverse environmental impacts to vegetation, wildlife, threatened or endangered species, jurisdictional wetlands, designated floodplains, or floodways. See Exhibit A. Given the probable minimal impact of this proposed transmission line, the impact of the VCS1-Killian 230 kV Line upon the environment is justified. Moreover, construction of the VCS1-Killian 230 kV Line will have no adverse effects to cultural resources, and any additional impact on visual resources will be low due to the use of existing right-of-way and the replacement of existing lines. See Exhibit A.

Also attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit B is the “Transmission Line Siting and Environmental Report for the VCS2-Lake Murray 230 kV Line #2 and a segment

of the VCS2-St. George 230 kV Line #1” dated July 2011 and prepared by the Facilities Planning and Siting Division of Pike Energy Solutions, LLC. The Transmission Line Siting and Environmental Report for the VCS2-Lake Murray 230 kV Line #2 and a segment of the VCS2-St. George 230 kV Line #1 concludes that the proposed transmission lines will have no significant adverse environmental impacts to vegetation, wildlife, threatened or endangered species, jurisdictional wetlands, designated floodplains, or floodways. See Exhibit B. Given the probable minimal impact of this proposed transmission lines, the impact of the VCS2-Lake Murray 230 kV Line #2 and the Segment of the VCS2-St. George 230 kV Line #1 upon the environment is justified. Moreover, construction of the VCS2-Lake Murray 230 kV Line #2 and the Segment of the VCS2-St. George 230 kV Line #1 will have no adverse effects to cultural resources, and any additional impact on visual resources will be low due to the use of existing right-of-way and the replacement of existing lines. See Exhibit B.

6. **Conformance with State and Local Law.** The proposed VCS1-Killian 230 kV Line, the proposed VCS2-Lake Murray 230 kV Line #2, and the Segment of the VCS2-St. George 230 kV Line #1 will conform to all applicable state and local laws and regulations issued thereunder, including any allowable variance provisions therein.
7. **Proof of Service.** Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-33-120(2), Exhibit C, attached hereto and made a part hereof, is proof of service of a copy of this Application on the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff, the chief executive officer of each municipality and head of each state and local government agency, charged with the duty of protecting the environment or of planning land use, in the area in the county in which any portion of the transmission lines is to be located.

8. Public Notice. Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-33-120(3), Exhibit D, attached hereto and made a part hereof, is the public notice given to persons residing in the municipalities entitled to receive notice by publication of a summary of the Application, the date on or about which it is to be filed, and the newspapers of general circulation in which such notice was published. This notice served substantially to inform such persons of the filing of this Application. An affidavit of publication from the newspaper identified is attached as Exhibit E.

9. Correspondence or Communications. The name, title, address and telephone number of the persons to whom correspondence or communications relating to the Application should be addressed are as follows:

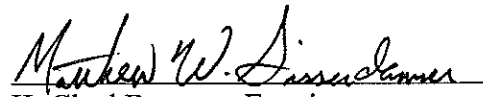
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WHEREFORE, SCE&G respectfully requests that the Commission issue a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Convenience and Necessity for the project described herein and order such other, further or different relief as may be justified.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Matthew W. Gissendanner", is written over a horizontal line.

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Cayce, South Carolina
August 9, 2011

PROOF OF SERVICE

This is to certify that I, Mary C. Salane, have this day, August 9, 2011, caused to be served on the parties as indicated below one (1) copy of the Application to the Public Service Commission of South Carolina by the South Carolina Electric & Gas Company for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Convenience & Necessity and a Notice of Filing pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-33-120(2) (1976 & Cum. Supp. 2010) as follows:

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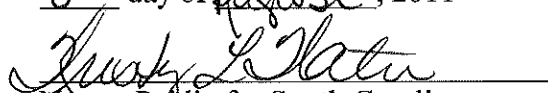
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Mary C. Salane

SWORN to before me this
8th day of August, 2011



Notary Public for South Carolina

My Commission Expires: 1-31-2015



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Copies of the Application will be available for public review at the following location:

Public Service Commission of South Carolina
Saluda Building
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 110
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Any person wishing to comment on the Application or obtain additional information with regard thereto should contact in writing the Public Service Commission of South Carolina, Saluda Building, 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100, Columbia, South Carolina 29210, with a copy to K. Chad Burgess, South Carolina Electric & Gas Company, MC C222, 220 Operation Way, Cayce, South Carolina 29033.

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Emily Fernandez

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